

## FLEMING'S NEW EVIDENCE

**COACHMAN ARCHIBALD CORNELIUS  
FINALLY APPEARS**

**A Batch of Extraordinary Letters that He Alleges Miss Livingstone Wrote to Him—Mr. Fleming Swears to the Handwriting. The counsel for Henry Fleming in Miss**

damage was rendered on Thursday, October 24, yesterday from Justice Cullen, at his house at 144 Willow street, Brooklyn, an order to show cause why a new trial should not be granted in the case, on the ground of newly discovered evidence. In support of the motion, the master of compromising letters were presented purporting to have been written by Miss Livingstone to Archibald Cornelius, the coachman, with whom in Henry Fleming's bill of particulars she was accused of undue intimacy.

Fleming makes affidavit that he made every effort to find out the identity of the man, and advertised for him in vain. The case was closed on Wednesday last, as to the hearing of testimony. At 8 o'clock that night a young man named Anderson called at the house of the house and said he could produce Cornelius in court next morning. Cornelius is a well known man in the neighborhood, and Anderson called at Fleming's office and produced an affidavit by Cornelius and a batch of letters which he said were the property of the man who are in Miss Livingstone's hand. Fleming is now waiting for the next day's trial.

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**The Fire Out when the Fight Began.**

Assistant Engineer Joseph M. Davis of Erie County 25 made this report to Assistant Chief Shay yesterday about Friday night's fight in the United Square Theatre:

"The musicians uncovering his instrument must have thrown the bag on the guard of a lighted gas jet in a backroom back of the orchestra, and set fire to it," he said. The bag caught, burned a long time before being put out. After the fire was extinguished we were called to the theatre by the fire alarm. When one of the house men after the musician opened the door and allowed the spark from the burning bag to enter the room, the fire spread rapidly. In an instant the entire room was in flames. I saw the fire at once and ran to my room where I had a bucket of water. I went to the stage and threw the water on the fire. It seemed to me that the fire was in all directions. I continued to throw the water until the fire was out, and in a few minutes they were all in the audience."

"One would hardly believe it," said Sergeant Meany in Central Park last night, "but although the snow and rain made the ice on the lake like cheese, the skaters were packed there like herrings. I saw young ladies wearing thin, fashionable shoes, standing for hours in the slush. At nightfall the ice became so dangerous that Capt. Meany ordered the police to clear the skaters." A train on the sixth avenue elevated road went around the corner of the park and the skaters went through the open door blew out nearly all the lights in one of the cars.

The clerk in the office of the Jefferson Market Police Court was extinguished by the bad weather.

**Samuel Bridgert's Death**

Ex-Postmaster Samuel Bridgert, of Jersey City died yesterday morning at his residence, 730 Madison street, of a heart ailment.

**The Signal Office Prediction.**

Rainy followed by clearing weather, south west veering to colder north east winds, higher pressure.

**NOTES ABOUT TOWN.**

The Western Union Telegraph Company has a steamer. Professor Morse, and it is to be used as a school collier.

During match, Scotch vs. Americans, which was to have been played yesterday, was postponed until tomorrow.

John Kelly fled plain yesterday for eleven the story brick wadded which he is about to be given each day.

Justice Dale in the Court of Common Pleas yesterday.

John Jordan, and awarded the custody of their child to her.

The lecture on the "History of the Early Irish Settlers in America" was given by Rev. Mr. O'Connell on Tuesday evening, the 10th, at the Academy of Music.

Considerable damage was caused by the storm to the mails arriving in this city.

For the first time, the mail did not reach the Post Office until after midnight.

Francis Kane of 202 West Eleventh street fell from the wharf at the foot of West Tenth street yesterday afternoon and was rescued by Chief Charles McQuinn of the Life Saving Service, who sprang into the water after him.

The picture and frame store of George Perrine at Market street was entered on Wednesday evening and robbed of goods of the value of \$1,000. Mr. Perrine has notified the police but taken any steps to recover his property.

The steamer St. Johns has been purchased by a syndicate of summer cottagers of Seabright and will be used for the purpose of carrying passengers to the Railway Company for \$2.50 a year for service on route between New York and Seabright.

It is a well known fact that one can never tick a paper without reading of Dr. Bull's cough syrup.